As dictated to USUN in New York at 9115 P.M.

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INCIDENTS INVOLVING ATTACKS ON US FORCES OVER CUBA TODAY WERE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. An unarmed aircraft on a high altitude reconnaissance mission over Eastern Cuba was probably attacked and shot down between 10:15 and 11:00 A.M. EDT.
- 2. Two unarmed aircraft were attacked while on low altitude reconnaissance missions near San Cristobal and Sagua La Grande at about 4:00 P.M. EDT. These aircraft were fired upon by small arms as well as by light anti-aircraft weapons, but escaped undamaged.